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SYSTEM*

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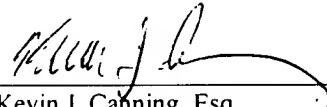
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Corrected Application Papers dated December 3, 2001 in connection with the above-referenced patent application, we enclose for filing in the above-referenced patent application 7 sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-7).

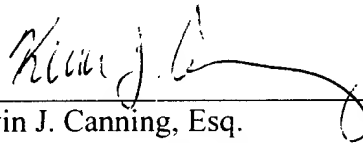
Kindly substitute the enclosed formal drawings for the 7 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-7) presently on file. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.

The Examiner is urged to call the undersigned at the telephone number below if there are any remaining issues.

Please charge any underpayments or credit any overpayments associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080. A duplicate of this letter is enclosed.

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